

Table 25h. Federal R&D budget authority, by budget function: fiscal years 1996–2003

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Budget function	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 preliminary	2003 proposed
[In millions of dollars]								
Total.....	69,049	71,653	73,569	77,637	78,664	86,756	98,029	107,057
National defense.....	37,801	39,591	39,823	41,306	42,580	45,713	52,922	58,259
Health.....	11,867	12,670	13,576	15,553	17,869	20,758	23,654	26,615
Space research and technology ¹	7,844	7,844	8,198	8,245	5,363	6,126	6,556	7,435
Energy ²	2,521	2,372	948	1,131	996	1,314	1,547	1,408
General science ²	2,846	2,944	4,360	4,690	4,977	5,468	5,717	5,890
Natural resources and environment.....	1,802	1,886	1,855	1,842	1,999	2,096	2,159	2,136
Transportation.....	1,795	1,785	1,833	1,725	1,636	1,640	1,696	1,554
Agriculture.....	1,176	1,203	1,249	1,288	1,426	1,657	1,703	1,703
Education, training, employment, and social services.....	331	373	444	403	418	411	417	484
International affairs.....	252	190	163	190	200	252	268	182
Veterans benefits and services ³	259	267	587	644	645	719	761	810
Commerce and housing credit.....	432	409	398	432	406	429	444	387
Community and regional development.....	50	48	42	59	46	54	48	48
Administration of justice.....	56	59	72	88	73	88	98	114
Income security.....	16	9	18	38	25	30	37	30
General government.....	2	2	2	3	6	3	3	3
[In millions of constant FY 1996 dollars]								
Total.....	69,049	70,283	71,157	74,124	73,586	79,323	87,706	94,091
National defense.....	37,801	38,834	38,517	39,436	39,832	41,796	47,349	51,203
Health.....	11,867	12,428	13,131	14,849	16,715	18,980	21,163	23,392
Space research and technology ¹	7,844	7,694	7,929	7,872	5,017	5,601	5,865	6,534
Energy ²	2,521	2,326	917	1,080	931	1,201	1,384	1,237
General science ²	2,846	2,888	4,217	4,477	4,655	4,999	5,115	5,177
Natural resources and environment.....	1,802	1,850	1,794	1,758	1,870	1,916	1,932	1,877
Transportation.....	1,795	1,751	1,773	1,647	1,531	1,499	1,517	1,365
Agriculture.....	1,176	1,180	1,208	1,230	1,334	1,515	1,524	1,497
Education, training, employment, and social services.....	331	366	429	385	391	376	373	425
International affairs.....	252	186	158	181	187	230	240	160
Veterans benefits and services ³	259	262	568	615	603	657	681	712
Commerce and housing credit.....	432	401	385	412	380	392	397	340

See explanatory notes and SOURCES at end of table.

Table 25h. Federal R&D budget authority, by budget function: fiscal years 1996–03

Budget function	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 preliminary	2003 proposed
	[In millions of dollars]							
Community and regional development.....	50	47	41	56	43	49	43	42
Administration of justice.....	56	58	70	84	68	80	88	100
Income security.....	16	9	17	36	23	27	33	26
General government.....	2	2	2	3	6	3	3	3

¹ In FY 2000, NASA reclassified Space Station as a physical asset and Space Station research as equipment and transferred funding for the Space Station program from R&D to R&D plant (details on NASA data are shown in table 11).

² Beginning in FY 1998, a number of Department of Energy programs were reclassified from energy (270) to general science (251).

³ Beginning in FY 1998, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) was required to report medical care support funds as part of VA's total research budgetary resources.

NOTES: Data for 1996–2001 are actual budget authority. Data for 2002 are preliminary estimates, and data for 2003 are proposed based on fiscal year 2003 budget. Because of rounding, components may not add to totals. GDP implicit price deflators used to convert current dollars to constant 1996 dollars.

SOURCES: Agencies' submissions to Office of Management and Budget, MAX Schedule C; agency budget justification documents; and supplemental data obtained from agencies' budget offices.